



DELAWARE COMMISSION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

MEETING AGENDA AUGUST 15, 2017

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:

REMINDER TO SILENCE / TURN OFF ELECTRONIC DEVICES:

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

MOMENT OF SILENCE:

CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS:

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:

AGENCY REMARKS:

Vince Kane, Director Wilmington VAMC

Bill Peterson, Administrator, DVH

Jessica Finan, Executive Director, Home of the Brave

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Brendan Mackie, Veterans & Military Advocate, Senator Coons

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

BEAR CEMETERY (Armbruster)

Interments – 50

MILLSBORO CEMETERY (Bradley)

Interments – 23

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (Sarg)

LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS (McMullen)

ORGANIZATIONAL REPORTS:

Air Force Sergeants Association (AFSA)

American Legion (AL)

American Veterans (AMVETS)

Delaware Veterans (DELVETS)

Disabled American Veterans (DAV)

Korean War Veterans Association (KWVA)

Marine Corps League (MCL)

Military Officers Association of America (MOAA)

Military Order of the Purple Heart (MOPH)
Veterans of Foreign War (VFW)
Vietnam Veterans of America (VVA)
At Large
- Showell
- Newstadt
- Hampton
- Seppala

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S COMMENTS:

DVTF Previous Month: Applications 8; Granted 6 (75%); Awarded \$8056.04;
Balance - \$69,091

TERM EXPIRATIONS:

EVENTS:

Veterans Job Fair, Wilmington University Dover Campus, 22 August / 1000 - 1400
Military & Veteran Mental Health Summit, Chase Center, 14 September / 0900 – 1500
Veterans Job Fair, Middletown Fire Hall 27 W. Green Street, 15 September 1000 - 1400
Delaware Veterans' Stand Down, Schutte Park, 22 September / 0900 – 1400
Dover AFB Retiree Day, The Landings (club), 21 October / 0800 – 1200
Delaware Veterans Parade, Downtown Dover, 4 November / 0900
World War I Memorial Dedication, Legislative Hall, 4 November / 1200
Delaware Veterans Trust Fund Dinner, Dover Downs, 4 November / 1800
Community Mental Health Conference, Chase Center, 9 November / 0900 – 1500
Veterans Day Bridge Ceremony (American Veterans), 11 November / 1030

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

World War I Memorial (CLOSED)
- Dedication scheduled for Saturday, 4 November, following Veterans Day parade

NEW BUSINESS

September Meeting will be held at American Veterans Post 2, Millsboro
- Transportation for New Castle and Kent Commissions

ITEMS FOR THE GOOD AND WELFARE OF THE ORGANIZATION

SPECIAL PRESENTATION:

NEXT MEETING: 19 September 2017 / 1000 / American Veterans Post 2, 32592 Long Neck Road, Millsboro

PURSUANT TO 29 DEL. § 10004(b), THE DELAWARE COMMISSION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS MAY MOVE INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS MATTERS WHICH MAY ARISE AT THE TIME OF THE PUBLIC BODY'S MEETING IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 DEL., § 10004(c)(2).